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THE ARMY'S WORK OF MERCY

Graduate Nurses Receive their Certificates at a Meeting in the Toronto Women's Hospital

BLOOR Street Women's Hospital was the scene of a most interesting function on Wednesday evening last. As is known, there is a Training School for Nurses in connexion with the Hospital, and a number of Nurses who have gone through the Session, and successfully passed their examinations, came now to receive their Certificates.

Colonel McMillan led, and in suitable words explained the purpose of the gathering. He paid warm tribute to the Medical Staff associated with the Hospital, Dr. McNicol, Dr. Scott, Dr. Burns and Dr. Goodchild, who by their unwavering allegiance to the purposes of The Army, enabled the Hospital to so efficiently meet such great need.

The Colonel made kindly reference to the former Matron, Brigadier Yost, whose health has given cause for anxiety, and also referred appreciatively to her successor, Adjutant Ball, who is now in charge as Matron.

Dr. McNicol, Dr. Burns and Dr. Goodchild each spoke warmly of



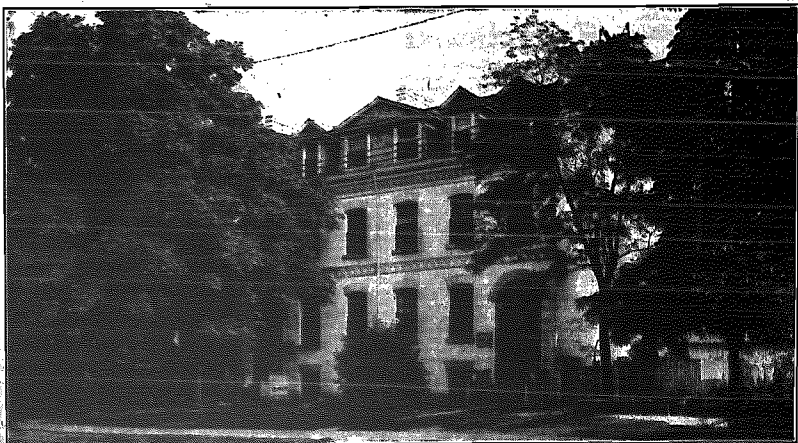
the pleasure their association with The Salvation Army afforded them. of the practical value the Hospital is to the community, and of their high estimate of the devotion and ability of the Nursing Staff.

Each of the Graduates, in response to the call of Dr. Goodchild, took the Florence Nightingale pledge, and then received their Certificates at the Doctor's hands, after which Mrs. Colonel McMillan presented each Nurse with a badge.

The spiritual significance of the whole function was well maintained throughout. The opening song, "Forth in Thy Name I go," was followed by a beautiful prayer by Mrs. Lieut.-Colonel Miller, tender in its expression and comprehensive in its significance; all else being in harmony with it till the benediction by Colonel McMillan brought the meeting to an end.

The Women's Hospital at 65-67 Bloor Street East, was opened in the year 1906, and is a development of another branch of the work—the

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THE TORONTO WOMEN'S HOSPITAL. ABOVE IS A PHOTO OF THE MATRON PUTTING ONE OF HER CHARGES TO REST.

LATEST NEWS OF SALVATION FIGHTING ON THE FIELD

NORTH BAY

PARLIAMENT ST. (TORONTO)

BRACEBRIDGE

LIPPINCOTT (TORONTO)

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TILLSBURG

RIVERDALE (TORONTO)

SAULT STE MARIE I

HAMILTON IV

Indian Chief Conducts Sunday Meeting—Record Attendance—Three Seekers

Large crowds attended the meetings when Chief Bligwa from the Indian Reserve at Rama visited us. The Chief drew a large crowd at the Saturday night open-air held in front of the Post Office. He obliged the people with a few songs in the Indian language, the choruses of which he sang in English. Then he told them how God had saved his soul through the instrumentality of The Salvation Army. At a meeting conducted by Brigadier and Mrs. MacAmmond in Bracebridge almost seventeen years ago. All day Sunday there were record attendances. There was a splendid spirit in the night meeting and the Chief's address was listened to with eager attentiveness. He dwelt on his trip to the International Congress in 1914 and the nights he saw while there, and also spoke again on his coming in contact with the Army and the effect it had on his whole life. He mentioned to both services the fact that the desire for the drink, tobacco, etc., had been entirely removed when he came to the Cross, and his talk, while simple, struck conviction to the hearts of his listeners.

During the course of the service the Band, which numbered eight, rendered a splendid selection, the Chief siding very considerably with his enthusiastic volume of hymns. Three seekers sought pardon. This makes a total of ten in three weeks, three coming last Sunday and four the week previous. As has been mentioned before the Captain is desirous of seeing no break to the soul saving campaign. The converts are standing true, and his things are expected as a result of the spirit in the Corps. The Band has added greatly to the open-air meetings, and is an attraction in filling the Hall.

MONCTON

Adjutant and Mrs. Major

The week-end meetings were held by our Officers and were helpful and inspiring. On Sunday afternoon the Sergeant-Major and the Corps Secretary had charge of the meeting. The Adjutant gave a powerful address at night and two seekers came forward.

The Soldiers of the Corps have said good-bye to Captain Thomas. Many friends and comrades met together to bid her God speed. Representative speakers from each branch of our Corps testified to the great blessing she had been to them. The members of the Home League invited everyone present to a Social in the Junior Hall.

During the Captain's stay the Hall, both Junior and Senior, have been redecorated inside and out, and an entirely new lighting system installed. The aisles, platform and vestibule have been covered with linoleum. New folding screens have been put in the Junior Hall for dividing the Companies and new chairs for the primary class have been secured. We have welcomed Lieutenant Mahaffy. She was a Junior here, and was converted in our Hall seven years ago.

HAMILTON III

Adjutant and Mrs. Ritchie

On a recent Saturday night the Senior Girls' Bible Class, in charge of Sister Mrs. MacNeil, gave an interesting programme of singing, reading and dialogue. These programmes are given every Saturday night by different sections of the Corps, and are proving to be very helpful. The Hall is always well filled. On Sunday Lt-Colonel Hargrave was with us. One seeker came forward. Captain Otway held a meeting with the Guards and Scouts on Monday night. The Home League is doing good work under the direction of Mrs. Adjutant Ritchie.

FAIRBANK (TORONTO)

Captain Stone

Recent week-end meetings were led by Lieutenant Robinson, assisted by Cadets Collins and Green. We were much blessed and encouraged by these reinforcements. Four Juniors came to the mercy seat. On Monday our Home League Sale of Work was held and in the evening the Toronto Band and Songsters came along in full force and rendered a good and inspiring programme.

We were privileged to have with us on a recent Monday night Colonel Jacobs and Brigadier MacAmmond. The words of the Colonel were a great inspiration to all the comrades. We have also had a visit from Mrs. Brigadier Green, who conducted a cottage prayer meeting last Wednesday at the home of Mrs. A. Davis, who sought God in the first cottage prayer meeting held this season. An open-air was held on Sunday morning outside the home where Sister Mrs. Cook has been very ill, and which was very much enjoyed by our sick comrades.

The week-end meetings resulted in one soul seeking the Saviour.

PERTH

Captain Beckwith, Lieutenant Harding

Staff-Captain Layman conducted recent week-end meetings. On Sunday afternoon he gave a splendid talk to the children. At night one seeker came forward. Our Officers are now holding meetings in the Hall, and they are proving to be a great blessing to the inmates. A few weeks ago a gentleman came to the Hall so convicted of sin and anxious to seek Salvation that he said to the Captain, he would give up all he owned to be saved. Since then we have had the joy of seeing him at the Cross.

NEWMARKET

Captain and Mrs. Clarke

The meetings on Sunday were conducted by the Band under the leadership of Bandmaster Gurney. In the morning the Band Secretary gave a helpful address. At night the Bandmaster spoke. On the previous Sunday just before Band practice the son of one of our Soldiers sought Salvation.

NEW LISKEARD

Lieutenant Fisher

Colonel Jacobs and Brigadier MacAmmond recently paid us a visit and God one seeker came forward. On Sunday last three more sought Salvation and three Holiness, including two nurses from the local hospital.

Officers Farewell to Return to India

Sunday was another day of rich blessing to us. In the Holiness Meeting several testimonies were given to the blessing of a clean heart. A Holiness address full of inspiration was given by the Adjutant, Brother Piele and Captain Pardee were visitors and told their experience and the joy they found in the service of God. The Salvation Meeting was well attended. Major and Mrs. Guse and their two little daughters were present at this meeting and the Major spoke words of farewell to us. They have been a blessing to us while on furlough here. Mr. Galway gave a soul-stirring talk. In the prayer meeting one soul returned to the fold.

YARMOUTH

Captain and Mrs. Friend

Adjutant Hurd spoke at Hibernia Church on Sunday morning. At the Mass Meeting at the People's Theatre in the afternoon, he gave a thrilling address entitled "Underworld". Upwards of eight hundred people were present. A member of the Provincial Parliament was present. The two running candidates, Mr. Clergy and prominent business men were present. The Adjutant also addressed a large congregation in Zion Baptist Church at night.

OTTAWA II

Captain and Mrs. Alderman

We have a fine body of Life-Saving Guards under the command of Ensign Aldridge. They formed the Body Guard to Major Mary Booth on his way to Ottawa, and the war was very pleased with their smart appearance.

Our Junior Corps is also steadily increasing under our new Sergeant-Major, Brother Veck. We are able to report victory also financially. Our carriages are wonderful. In over eight dollars alone a week day and Sunday offerings put together for the year ending September, 1951.

New Hall Opened—The Property Secretary Conducts First Week-end Meetings

Our comrades at Tillsburg are to be congratulated on having secured a splendid new property on the main thoroughfare of that town. Our workers have been greatly handicapped in this place for many years because of not having a suitable Hall, but this is now overcome through the splendid efforts of Captain and Mrs. A. J. Whitton, who have worked hard and have done well to finance this effort. A beautiful Hall, suitable for services has now been secured, and in addition there is a nice suite of living rooms over the same. Adjoining the property is a large lot, suitable for a larger Citadel later on, as the Corps will require.

Lieut-Colonel Miller, the Property Secretary, officiated at the opening service a few weeks ago. He was assisted by Brig. dier Crichton and the St. Thomas Band. Great crowds attended the opening service on Saturday night and all day on Sunday. The sum of \$100.00 was raised to meet a few outstanding accounts still on the property. The members of the community are delighted with the Army, as they have been able to get a foot-hold in this respect, and have wonderfully helped them financially, and we may look for splendid progress from this Corps in the near future.

MONTREAL II

Captain and Mrs. Boaher

On a recent Monday night three souls knelt at the mercy seat. On Wednesday our Officers, out of gratitude to God for His goodness to us, held a thank offering meeting. Two baskets were placed on a table beside the open Bible. One represented Wordliness, the other Thankfulness. In the first basket was placed a large quantity of articles of jewelry, and in the other gifts of money and notes of thankfulness to God for a life of holiness. Two of the Corps Cadets started a Cottage Meeting and twelve girls attended. Corps Cadets M. Sparks and M. Clarke carried on and three of the girls were converted.

CARLETON PLACE

Captain Belchambers, Lieut. Naylor

"What wonderful meetings." Such was the expression on the lips of the people who attended the meeting during a recent week-end. The meetings were conducted by Captain Alderman and Treasurer Williams of Ottawa II, assisted by our Officers. All Sunday night meetings were well attended. At night the Hall was crowded with eager listeners and Captain Alderman with the pastor on the platform, his heart and realizing his responsibility to God and the people before him, made a very earnest appeal to the unconverted and three souls volunteered for Salvation.

KENTVILLE

Lieutenant Davis

We had a visit recently from our Chancellor, Adjutant Raven. On Sunday Brother and Sister Lane had their infant son, Garnett Laurie, dedicated to God and The Army. The meeting was very impressive. At the close two souls knelt at the mercy seat.—Sister Lowe.

Hearty Welcome to New Officers—Five Seekers on Sunday

On Friday night our united Holiness meeting was conducted by Staff-Captain Cameron assisted by a number of Officers. While the service was in progress our new Officers arrived and they received a very

warm and hearty welcome. Staff-Captain Cameron had the pleasure of conducting the installation meeting. Sunday was a wonderful day. The Holiness meeting was one of the old-fashioned kind. The afternoon service was one of real prayer and praise. Everyone seemed to catch the fire and was ready to testify to the goodness of God. At night Mrs. Commandant Osborn gave a red-hot Salvation talk. This was followed by a real heart-searching address by the Commandant. After a well-fought prayer meeting five souls surrendered to God.

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Seven Seekers for Salvation and Holiness

Sunday was a day of blessing at the Corps. The Holiness meeting was a time of waiting upon God, and comrades who had on the previous Sunday sought the blessing of full Salvation were eager to testify.

It was a red letter day in the history of our baby Corps. For the third Hamilton Troop of the Life-Saving Scouts of the World was inaugurated by Staff-Captain Best. A splendid programme was rendered by the Guards and Scouts. The Staff-Captain presented the Scouts with their badges and the Corps Officer presented the Troop with Colors.

Our Corps Officers led us on to battle during the week-end. The comrades rallied round the standard in fine numbers. Sunday morning being Church parade for the Guards and Life-Saving Scouts, they paraded and marched to the open-air stand with colors flying, forty being in attendance. The night meeting was a Memorial Service for Mary Evelyn, the infant daughter of Brother and Sister Wensley. At the close we had made ten captures for His Kingdom in Jesus.

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CHATHAM, ONT.

Adjutant and Mrs. Gilliam

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YORKVILLE (TORONTO)

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Campaign of Staff-Captain and Mrs. Kendall—Thirty-six Seekers—Life-Saving Guard Troop Inaugurated

We have had Staff-Captain and Mrs. Kendall with us for a twelve days' visit. The campaign, which has been going on since the first of the year, has received definite blessing, and outpourings of the Holy Spirit. Many have been the testimonies to the power of the Holy Spirit. We wish to report that thirty-six yielded to the pleadings of the Spirit.

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The Home League of Sault Ste. Marie I, with Ensign and Mrs. Parsons, Commanding Officers.

SALVATION SOLDIER'S ARMOIRY

The Words We Use

Their Importance to Young People's Workers

MOST people are familiar with a graver or lesser number of "children's sayings." They are generally considered amusing and periodically provide the newspapers with widely-read paragraphs, but it is often forgotten that those naive misconceptions often arise in the minds of children as a result of faulty instruction. It is certainly amusing to

impressions supplied by faulty, the structures which are being erected become faulty. Just as old St. Paul's is shaky because Christopher Wren had to re-build and the material supplied was of poor quality. The result is sometimes amusing. For instance, when the writer hears the chorus—

Oh, for a deeper, Oh, for a greater,

Orders and Regulations

For Soldiers of The Salvation Army

42-Debt.
Debt is a great evil. It destroys a man's peace, makes him feel like a slave, has a bad effect upon his example and an unfavorable influence upon those who are with him. When a Salvation Soldier is seriously in debt walks about in uniform and does anything for the salvation of souls, he feels that his creation was for simply "firing" the case. He has some respect for his religion. If debt is such an evil, then it must be a Salvation Soldier's duty to keep free from it. On no account should he contract debt except he was to be the most confident manner his ability to meet it when the claim falls due. To do otherwise with a man's goods is almost as bad as stealing them. To steal them is to take them away from them; while getting them on credit, when he knows he won't be able to pay for them, amounts to very much the same thing.

CAPTAIN'S BOLD VENTURE.
Commissioner Whatmore, who has been appointed to Australia, recalls many stirring incidents associated with his early days as an Officer, the most of them following. He had been an Officer about three months when he was sent to Cheltenham. The Army Hall was very small, holding perhaps 150 people at bulging point. Not far off stood a dilapidated tenement house. The Captain announced that if some one would sell him the house, he would give the building and form a Brass Band. Some generous friend—he does not know who—said, "I will do it, but I am generously rented the building for a term of seven years." His Divisional Commander was asked on neither the news. "Well, my boy," he said, "if it succeeds, all right; if it doesn't, it will be a great loss to the Army. It was a great success. Not a Sunday passed without the building being packed, and the money was saved. Twenty years later the one-time Captain, now a Colonel, returned to Cheltenham as a member of the Province to open a Citadel on the identical site of the old Coliseum. Such is the happy ordering of Army events.

called Eva, and used to sing—
Eva—
Let some show
Fall on Eva and me,
And to the Leonard who, instead of saying—
Jesus, high in glory,
Lead a listening ear,
changed the lines into—
Jesus, high in glory,
Lead me listening here.

These illustrations show the necessity, for Young People's Workers to, as plain every song and text that is said, or at least to get the words, so clearly that there is no possibility of the children getting a wrong idea.

WHAT'S DOING ROUND THE WORLD

BURNING TIN CANS

That almost any quantity of tin cans can be conveniently disposed of by burning in an ordinary steam house-heating furnace cannot be general known to householders at large or there would be fewer back yards "rusted into dumps" littered with this and that unsightly kind of refuse. As usually thrown out without the formality of raising, they were "tinny," and when not infrequently they collect rain water and become most insistent breeding places for flies and mosquitoes. All this could be readily avoided by simply "firing" the cans into the furnace along with the other fuel. The burning of a tin can, as any other combustible is a process of oxidation.

Oxidation takes place slowly in the space above the fuel bed, because then the fire is intelligently handled and there is a minimum of "air dilution." There will be no great amount of free oxygen. As the cans are allowed to sink deeper into the fuel bed, and finally into the underlying bed of ashes, they encounter more and more free oxygen, which, at a comparatively high temperature, soon results in their almost complete disappearance in order that they may be got rid of as quickly as possible. It is best to put them into the furnace before firing on fresh coal. They should not be "poked" (neither should burning coal, for that matter, except in very rare instances), but left alone to sink gradually down to, and finally through the grate, in which there will be nothing left of them but a few scattered fragments of brittle oxide. It may be remarked that practically all other refuse from the house can be disposed of in the same way.

FOOD VALUE OF MILK

Milk is one of the cheapest, if not the very cheapest, of foods, says a writer in the "Farmers' Advocate." It is especially valuable where there are growing crops. In addition, milk is a protein to grow muscle; lime to build bones; and sugar and fat to maintain heat and produce energy. It provides all these in easily assimilable form. In addition, milk has another value which is just coming to be understood. Food value is not to be determined entirely by the chemical composition of a food. Certain foods possess properties that give no chemical reaction, but that are known as vitamins—properties that promote the vital processes, ward off disease, and give energy. Foods that are rich in vitamins. Foods that furnish the proper vitamins are not only valuable because of the nutrition which they give, but also because they cause they enable the person taking them to make better use of other foods as well. Milk and milk products are bound to be more widely consumed, both in town and country, so people come to understand their value.

The Making of Linoleum

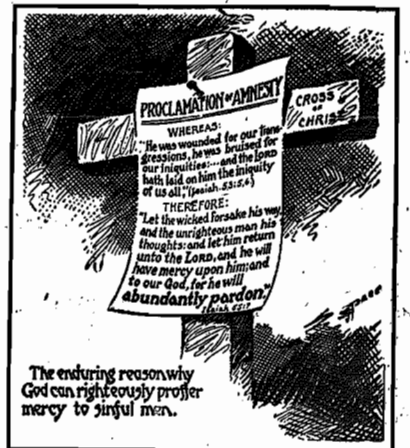
Some Facts of Interest Concerning an Important Industry—How Wide by Separated Countries Contribute the Various Ingredients

HOW linoleum is made is told by Morton Henderson in an article contributed to "Export American Industries." Mr. Henderson says that three continents contribute material for this familiar product. He asserts that the manufacture of linoleum, which has reached a high state of perfection in the United States, illustrates graphically the

these narrow sheds, the oil runs out from holes in the bottom, dripping on to the sern. As the oil drops down it gradually absorbs oxygen from the air. The temperature of from 80 deg. to 100 deg. F., and the oxygen that is steadily absorbed by the oil, turn the oil into a semi-solid state. For between two and three months this oxidizing process is continued, until the

WATER WITH MEALS

The time-honored teaching that much water with meals interfered with digestion has at last been completely discredited. Professor Hawk, while at the University of Illinois, carried out an elaborate series of tests with a number of students in order to learn just how much water should be taken with each meal. By careful chemical analysis of all materials concerned it was found that the body took a higher percentage of nutriment from food when about a quart of water was taken with the meal than by the use



The enduring reason why God can righteously proffer mercy to sinful men.

With acknowledgment to the Canada West "War Cry,"
hear a child innocently remark—
"Our Father in charge in H-even,"
as, recently discovered among children who live near the Thames Police Station, London—
"Lead us not into Thames station, For thine is the king and the power and the glory,"
but at the same time, had those responsible for the instruction of the children taken the trouble to explain the Lord's Prayer, with endeavor to make the children see the personal words being very clearly repeated, and the brain-machine of one diminutive member of the family, forced to supply its own explanations, built into its memory-structure a picture of a "deputy" snowdrift and a nutmeg 'grater' with a man to supply the missing link. The misconception has long been dispelled, but the amusing picture will remain until memory is almost every one can quote similar illustrations, such as the little girl (now a Staff-Captain) who had a sister

son which the whole world was learning with increasing emphasis during the past two years; that is, the interdependence of all nations if occurred, and the demand by high temperature, soon results in their almost complete disappearance in order that they may be got rid of as quickly as possible. It is best to put them into the furnace before firing on fresh coal. They should not be "poked" (neither should burning coal, for that matter, except in very rare instances), but left alone to sink gradually down to, and finally through the grate, in which there will be nothing left of them but a few scattered fragments of brittle oxide. It may be remarked that practically all other refuse from the house can be disposed of in the same way.

Giant Inspection Tables in a Linoleum Factory

coating of oil and oxygen becomes about an inch thick. Then the sheets, dusted with whitening so that they will not stick, are carefully taken down. "From the oxidizing sheds, the sheets of serim and oil are sent to the 'cement' plant. The 'cement' is made by first pulverizing the oxidized oil by crushing it between steel rollers and then boiling this mass in kettles containing about three tons each. During the boiling process, kauri gum (the fermented sap of pine-trees from New Zealand), resin and other ingredients are mixed in, the result being a cement mixture which later serves as a binder for the cork-floer.

"The cement, after cooling, is cut into chunks about one foot square and four or five inches thick. Then begins the mixing process. Passing through one ingenious machine after another, the cement mixture of oil, serim, resin, etc., is thoroughly kneaded with the pulverized cork, the whole resulting once more pulverized before it is dropped down to one of the calendar machines.

"The calendar machine rollers. This calendar-making consists of a series of heated steam-rollers, each roller weighing twenty-altons. Burap is run in at the bottom of the rollers and the cork and oil mixture at the top, the two being pressed together. Under the tremendous pressure and the heat they are practically vaporized into one whole.

"The plain linoleum now goes to the 'towel' brick structure, very long and very narrow, about sixty-five feet in height. The linoleum is hung in these deep, narrow enclosures to season and dry from dew to six weeks."

of other more or less water. The results were the same with all students under investigation. So much was their assurance of power increased that their general health made noticeable improvement. This is logical enough, because any chemist knows that there is a certain dilution of any chemical that produces the greatest activity, and that particular dilution has to be found by experiment. Our grandmothers did not take time to experiment—they merely made the dilution statement that water with the food was bad, and the world took their word for it. Fortunately we now have the results of authoritative experiment, and water is still cheap. One caution is given: The food is chewed and swallowed without being washed down—the drink follows or precedes that operation.

AN INCH OF RAIN

When the Weather Bureau reports that an inch of rain has fallen means that the amount of water that descended from the sky in that particular shower would have covered the surrounding territory to a depth of one inch. If the rain had run off or soaked into the ground. It means that on one acre of ground enough water to fill more than 600 barrels of 45 gallons each has fallen. That quantity of water weighs more than 119 tons. If the rain-storm covered 1,000 acres, it would be a very small shower indeed, 113,000 tons of water would fall from the clouds. It frequently covers immense areas and a very heavy storm might result in 100,000,000 tons of water.



It is profitable now and then to refresh our minds and spirits at the old foundation of religion. There are many of those in the Army, and among the number Sergeant-Major Do-Your-Best, written by the late General Clinton years ago, is calculated to give new zest for battle to all who read or reread it. Sergeant-Major Do-Your-Best is a prominent Local at the First Corps of the important town of Dorkington. He is inclined to discursive, and his free and candid talk about people and events, running to nearly three hundred pages, tells us all that is worth knowing about the doings of the Dorkington Corps. Do-Your-Best is a converted drunkard who has been taken almost by the scruff of the neck out of 'The Swan with the Two Necks,' and dragged along in the Salvation Army procession. His lack of education is acknowledged and occasionally deplored; but he has the word of the matter in him, and many of his sayings reveal penetrating insight and wisdom, and an active appreciation of the requirements of a Salvationist, and above all of that pillar of support, the Corps Sergeant-Major.

A stirring account is given of a raid on the fair, and there are chapters on Saving the Drunkard, Open-Air Fighting, Revivals, Holiness Meetings, and other aspects of Army warfare. Sergeant-Major Do-Your-Best is, of course, a hypothetical figure, but as the Founder says in the preface, he and all the other characters sketched have their counterparts in British Army life. The story is written in a style that carries the reader irresistibly along, and in language that stirs his deepest feelings.

SERGEANT-MAJOR DO-YOUR-BEST by The Founder. Cloth boards. U.S. Postage to extra. Obtainable from the Trade Secretary, James and Albert Street, London.

SILENCING THE CRITICS.

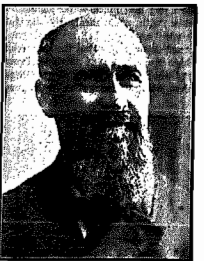
Colonel Emerson, who has just retired from active service after thirty-eight years' Officership, once upon a time "Office" resorted to a very effective means of silencing the critics. While in command of a Corps he had a telegram ordering him to Grantville, in Belfast, the Colonel received persons who listed The Army had detailed reports reflecting on the Corps financial affairs. He at once announced that the Corps books would be opened to the public at the Club between the hours of 10 (every day); but not a single one of the scandal-mongers put in an appearance, nor did they venture to repeat their calumnies.

PROMOTED TO GLORY

Brother George V. Dalsell—Grand Manan, B. C.

Our comrade was converted in the Army when the Corps was opened at Grand Manan. It was his delight to uphold the Doctrines of the Army, and at his death he was looked upon as a devoted follower of the Lord.

When the Army withdrew from Grand Manan, our departed comrade became associated with a Holiness Baptist Church.



Brother Dalsell

His last Sunday on earth was spent in the Sunday School. His words were peaceful and his words are truly applicable to him. "Mark the perfect man, and behold the upright, for the end of that man is peace."

The older Officers will remember his very practical sympathy. His home was ever open to them and his generosity was as "unto the Lord."

Mrs. Dalsell, his loving companion in life for over forty years, also the family, which includes Sister Mrs. T. Greenway, ex-Ensign M. Dalsell, are all comforted in the thought that he is forever with the Lord, whom he loved so well and served so faithfully.

Corps Cadet Penny, Springfield

Our late comrade was accidentally shot, and before he could be obtained he had passed away. He was one of our faithful workers, a member of the Life Saving Scout Band and a willing worker in the Corps endeavor; regular at open-air playing his instrument for the extension of God's Kingdom. His place in the home, the Corps, and the Band is vacant, but we feel that he has gone to be with Jesus.

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THE WAR CRY

MEN'S SOCIAL NOTES

A Sunday at the Ontario Reformatory—An Open Door of Opportunity—Changes of Appointment—Assisting Mothers' Pension Committee

BY COLONEL OTWAY

SUNDAY last was spent at Guelph Ontario Reformatory. At the present time there are about 300 men serving terms here, and Adjutant and Mrs. Barry have a splendid field of service among the prisoners.

Adjutant Barry works at home with men, having served, with the Overseas Army in France. The Adjutant has free use of the large Institution and is able to visit among the men, and do acts of kindness for them, such as writing to friends, or making purchases of such things as are allowed.

On Sunday I was pleased to be assisted by Brother Dawson of Guelph, who, with Mrs. Dawson over twenty years ago, started the Salvation Army Prison Work, when the Jail was only a small place holding about twenty men. Brother Dawson has been a faithful worker ever since.

Brigadier and Mrs. Fraser are also well known for their labors of love. It was here they assisted Dr. Gilmour, the great Prison reformer, and thus secured many of the privileges at the Soldiers' Meeting held on Tuesday, it was mentioned that the meeting had started in Canada, Social Officers were only permitted to speak to a prisoner in the presence of a warden, and then only in the presence of the Salvation Army Officers can go anywhere, into the dormitories or workshops, or speak to men in the life for over forty years, also the family, which includes Sister Mrs. T. Greenway, ex-Ensign M. Dalsell, are all comforted in the thought that he is forever with the Lord, whom he loved so well and served so faithfully.

What an open door!

During the meeting at Guelph six men lifted their hands for prayer and also decided for Christ.

Mr. Neelds, the Superintendent at Guelph Reformatory, who, with Mrs. Neelds, has always taken an active interest in the spiritual welfare of the men, has now granted us a further privilege. His place in the home, the Corps, and the Band is vacant, but we feel that he has gone to be with Jesus.

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Social changes have been the order of the day, and several comrades have now proceeded to "pass."

Adjutant and Mrs. Adams have farrowed from Burwash Prison Work, and are temporarily appointed to the Finance Department. Their field of work will be in Montreal.

Adjutant Allan Ritchie, of Toronto to Industrial, is appointed to Montreal and will have charge of the Ex-Prisoners' Home and Industrial Home. He will also assist Adjutant Harbours with the Industrial Department.

Ensign and Mrs. Ward, of Montreal Ex-Prisoners' Home, are appointed to take charge of the Augusta Avenue Working Men's Home in Toronto, succeeding Commandant and Mrs. McRae. The Ensign will have duties at the Toronto Industrial.

Commandant and Mrs. McRae are appointed to take charge of the Toronto Metropolitan. The Commandant will have duties at the Toronto Industrial.

Ensign Young, manager of the Quebec Street Toronto, is being appointed as Regimental Officer for the Life Saving Scouts of the World in Toronto West. Thus the Social is lending a hand to other Departments.

Staff-Captain Over, Chancellor of St. John Division, will continue to visit and hold meetings at the Dorchester Penitentiary.

We are pleased to be able to report that Mrs. Brigadier Fraser has made splendid progress as regards her health during the past few years, and was able to be present and speak at the Officers' meeting last week. We give praise to God, and believe that she will soon again be at the front.

Mrs. Otway, assisted by Mrs. Major Bloss and the Toronto I Band and Songsters, conducted the meeting at the Mercer Women's Reformatory on Sunday last. The women prisoners greatly appreciated the singing, and listened attentively to the addresses, and at the close several lifted their hands as an expression of desire to be saved.

Major Macnamara is arranging personal dealing with the women, and we have faith for their conversion.

The Mothers' Pension Committee has asked the assistance of The Salvation Army with cases who have been turned down. It is suggested that the visits of Salvation Army Officers to the homes of these people enable the cases to be again considered.

Major Burrows, of St. John Division, reports that Adjutant Cranwell of Charlottetown has commenced Prison Meetings.

PRISONERS AT BURWASH

Pay Tribute to Adjutant and Mrs. Adams at Their Farewell Service

December 17th, 1921

At the farewell service of Adjutant and Mrs. Adams from Burwash Industrial Farm, a very large crowd of prisoners, and their wives and his wife spoke heartily words of farewell. One of the inmates on behalf of all the men, expressed their feelings of regret at parting from the Adjutant and his wife. He said, in part, as follows:

It is with feelings of deep appreciation that I say good-bye to you this afternoon to bid you God bless the name of my fellow inmates. It is also with a feeling of unmarriageable sorrow for the loss of our ways—unworthiness because I feel that at times like these the human tongue is so utterly inadequate to express our own feelings. It is so easy to say "Thank you," though we often omit to do so—but the thanks which comes from the heart is of great value, the gratitude, which finds expression in tear-dimmed eyes and a lump in our throats—a very very hard to express, but I am glad to say to you, such is my task this afternoon.

"How many have been the broken hearts you have comforted? How many the sorrows did you carry on your shoulders? How much help, cheer and solace did you bring to us? How devotedly and absolutely unselfishly did you give us week after week, in sunshine and rain? And how much further did your services go? How many mothers and fathers have been comforted and sweethearts, aye, even little children, can bless your names, for the comfort and solace you have brought to us, and the good things we use. Verily, in the words of Rudyard Kipling, 'You have all these years, filled the unforgiving heart, with a light, a second word of distance rain.' As I look around me this afternoon, I am proud to see the faces of so many men who belong to different faiths, and who have come down to pay me a last tribute. I believe it is the highest compliment we could have paid you, and I think it is a privilege to have you here."

SAULT STE. MARIE
Captain Haines, L. P. Fetham

Recently the joy of seeing another comrade enter the Corps. Young Soldiers' Corps is still on the upgrade. The Life Saving Scouts and Guards and Corps Cadets are doing well in making advances during the winter months. Ensign and Mrs. Parsons, assisted by our own Officers recently conducted a special meeting entitled "A Night at Calvary." The Methodist Church in Steellon was kindly loaned for the occasion.

QANANQUE
Captain and Mrs. Walton

We had a Social in our Hall recently. There was a good attendance and the programme, consisting of readings, recitations, and singing, was appreciated by all present. Our Band rendered excellent music and was a great help.

Had Commandant Ash from Montreal with us for a week-end. In the early years of Officership the Commandant was stationed here, and many of his old friends came out to see him once again.

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COMING EVENTS

Colonel Otway—Bramford, Saturday, Sunday, December 18-19; Dovercourt, Sun. Dec. 23; Minto Reformatory, Sun. Dec. 23.

Brigadier Walton—Minto, Sunday, December 18-19; Bramford, Friday, December 23; West Toronto (afternoon) Dovercourt (night) Sun. Dec. 23; Leger St. Pri. Sat. Dec. 23.

Brigadier Moore—Yorkville, Sun. Dec. 18; Riverside, Fri. Dec. 23; Chester and East Toronto, Sun. Dec. 23; Riverside, Fri. Dec. 23; Ottawa, Sat. Sun. Dec. 31 and Jan. 1.

Brigadier Barr—Pitton, Saturday, Sunday, December 18-19; Montreal, Jan. Dec. 26; Cornwall, Fri. Dec. 30; Kingston, Sat. Sun. Dec. 31, Jan. 1; Ottawa, Mon. Jan. 2.

Brigadier Crichton—London III. Sat. Dec. 31.

Brigadier McAndrew—Hasterville, Sat. Mon. Dec. 17-19.

Staff-Captain Knight—Montreal, Sun. Dec. 26; Brock Ave. Sat. Dec. 21.

Staff-Captain and Mrs. Kendall—Montreal, Fri. Dec. 31st to Mon. Jan. 1st; Montreal, Fri. Dec. 31st to Mon. Jan. 1st; Kingston, Sat. Dec. 31st to Mon. Jan. 1st.

Staff-Captain Cameron—Lindsay, Sat. and Sun. Dec. 17 and 18; Uthridge, Mon. Dec. 19; Byng St. Sun. Dec. 25; Colborne, Sat. and Sun. Dec. 31 and Jan. 1.

Staff-Captain Macdonald—New Aberdeen, Sat. Sun. Dec. 17 and 18; Sydney Mines, Thurs. Dec. 22; Whitney Pier, Sat. and Sun. Dec. 24 and 25; Sydney, Mon. Dec. 26, and Sat. and Sun. Dec. 31 and Jan. 1.

Staff-Captain Layman—Ottawa, Fri. Monday, Dec. 17-19; Ottawa, Fri. Sat. Dec. 24-25; Ottawa, Fri. Sat. Dec. 21.

Comdt. Ash—Montreal III Sun. Dec. 18; Montreal, Fri. Dec. 25; Verdun, Sat. Sun. Dec. 31, Jan. 1.

Prison Appointments

Sunday, Dec. 19th.

Langstaff—Staff-Captain Church, Minto—Comdt. and Mrs. White.

Burwash—Captain Holt.

Chatham Jail—Captain Squarbridge.

Quebec—Adjutant Barry.

Ottawa—Adjutant Lewis.

Hasterville—Comdt. Watson.

Borden—Jail (Montreal)—Saturday, Dec. 17th, Adjutant Pitcher.

Fellows St. Jail (Montreal)—Adjutant Malone.

EVERY FRIDAY, 8 P. M.

CENTRAL HOLINESS MEETINGS TORONTO TEMPLE

Lieut.-Colonel Beltridg

UNITED HOLINESS MEETINGS LISCAR STREET

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RIVERDALE

Brigadier Moore

OCEAN TRAVEL

Officers, Soldiers and Friends of the Salvation Army intending to go to Europe, will find it distinctly to their advantage to book passage with The Salvation Army, as the rates are very low, and the British lines can also be arranged. Address communications to Brigadier Tustin, 24 University Street, Montreal; Brigadier Tustin, 24 University Street, Montreal; Brigadier Tustin, 24 University Street, Montreal; Brigadier Tustin, 24 University Street, Montreal.

SONGS OF SALVATION

NONE NEED PERISH!

Tune—"Like Salvation," 170, "Calcutta," 184, S. B. 3.

Heard the Gospel news is sounding, Christ has suffered on the tree, Streams of mercy are abundant, Grace for all is rich and free.

New, poor sinner, Look to Him who died for thee. Oh, escape to yonder mountain! Refuge find in Him today; Christ invites you to the Fountain, Come and wash your sins away: Do not tarry, Come to Jesus while you may.

Grace is flowing like a river, Millions there have been supplied; From the Saviour's wounded side, No need perish.

All may live, for Christ has died, Still it flows as fresh as ever.

THROUGH AND THROUGH

Tune—"Near the Cross," S. B. 3, S. B. 421.

Jesus, save me through and through— Save me from self-mending. Self-salvation will not do, Pass me through the cleansing I.

Chorus. Through and through, through and through, Jesus, make me holy; Save me to the uttermost, All the way to glory!

Through temptations save from sin, Self and pride subduing, Save me through and through within, Save me by renewing.

Through the tempest, through the calm, With the Master talking; On my own Beloved's arm, Off with Jesus walking.

Oh, speak while before Thee I pray! And, O Lord, just what seemeth Thee good, Reveal, and my heart shall obey.

The pasture I languish to find Where all their Shepherd abode, And, O my Shepherd, lead me on, And screened from the heat of the day.

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BETWELED GATES.

Tune—"Life's morn," 172, S. B. 325.

I have given up all for Jesus, This vain world is sought to me, All its pleasures are forgotten, In remembering Calvary.

Those days my friends despise, forsake me, And on me the world looks cold, I've a Friend that will stand by me When the weary gates unfold.

Chorus. Life's morn will soon be waning, And the evening bells will toll, But my heart shall know no sadness, When the weary gates unfold.

When the voice of Jesus calls me, And the angels whisper low, I will lean upon my Saviour, Through the valley as I go; I will claim His precious promise, Worth to me the world of gold, "Fear no evil, I'll be with thee When the weary gates unfold."

SHEPHERD OF ISRAEL!

Tune—"Thou Shepherd of Israel," 1321.

Thou Shepherd of Israel, my Lord, Thy joy and desire of my heart, For closer communion I pine, I long to reside where Thou art.

Chorus. Oh, speak while before Thee I pray! And, O Lord, just what seemeth Thee good, Reveal, and my heart shall obey.

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TORONTO CENTRAL HOLINESS MEETING

Conducted by Lieut.-Colonel Beltridg

December 17th, 1921

These meetings held at the Temple on Friday evenings, are continuing to prove a blessing and inspiration to those who attend. This is quite evident in the responses that are given from time to time. Last Friday night a brother said, "The Colonel's address brought light to me, so that although I was a sinner, I saw there was something better, and went forward" and claimed the blessing, and am now proving that blessing is able to keep.

Captain Sharp opened the service, and the spirit of the first song. "Only asking more and more of Love's supply," was manifested throughout. Cadet Barr read a suitable Bible selection and Cadet Van Roon gave an interesting talk, centering his thoughts around the words of Christ, "Loose him and let him go," and showing that we may be bound by our own fear of men, and selfishness. Cadet Siblick also spoke of the manner in which God had led her into the blessing and power of Holiness.

The Temple Band and Songsters were present and rendered the musical items of the evening. A quartette of Cadets also sang very creditably. The refrain of the selection sung by the Cadet Songsters, "Oh, the name is precious," was sung up to the audience, and on looking around one could believe God did come in a real way to the hearts of many.

How to obtain Sanctification was the subject of the meeting, and the conditions of Obedience and Faith were clearly set forth by Lieut.-Colonel Beltridg, who is the means of obtaining this blessing.

FOR INDIA'S SAKE

Home League in Belleville Helps a Missionary Officer

The missionary spirit is very much in evidence in the Home League at the Belleville Corps. Feeling the need of doing something of a tangible nature to demonstrate their practical interest, the Home League held a sale of work on Monday November 21st, the proceeds of which were sent to a Missionary Officer in India to assist her in her labors amongst the people of the land of her adoption.

Following the evening exercises by the Corps Officers, Commandant and Mrs. Cavender, the League Secretary, Mrs. Brown, gave a talk on "Missionary Work of the Salvation Army," and made a strong appeal for a generous purchasing of the goods on display, so that the money raised be as large as possible. At the close of the Sale the proceeds totalled twenty dollars, with which was purchased a desk on the part in Buxton for 66 rupees which was forwarded to Adjutant Roundton of India, who is a relative of Brother Smith of this Corps.

DRESDEN

Captain and Mrs. Clark

Crowds are increasing and souls are being converted. In one of our Cottage Meetings this week no less than five sought and found Christ.

The Wrightway Family.

A Christmas Carol.

A Christmas Testimony

An Interesting Story by a Converted Drunkard's Widow.

It is eleven years on the thirteenth of this very month of December that my dear husband was converted. I shall never forget it. One Sunday, just before our dinner-time, about ten minutes to three, I was on my way to the public-house to get the dinner, when I saw my husband coming along the road. At a glance I could see he had had quite enough. But please don't misunderstand me. In drink or out of it, he was always good natured—I will say that about him. And, though he was quite untidy as he came along, he greeted me gayly, and, of all things, waved a newly-purchased alarm clock above his head. He had set out to buy a watch for the boy, but he got so fuddled that he had bought an alarm clock instead, and was evidently quite pleased with himself and his bargain. No doubt he looked a droll enough object as he hurried forward to greet me joyfully. Right from the beginning of our courtship we had always been church people. I was a member of the Wesleyan. You see, I used to meet him at one o'clock when he finished his work on Saturdays, and we went from public-house to public-house together. What was good enough for him, was good enough for me.

One Christmas, my birthday, 'Come on, mate, it's Charlie's birthday,' he cried—that's our son, who was then just fourteen. He's nearly closing time, but there's time to go in and wet the boy's birthday.' So in we went, and in drinking to our boy's good health and happiness I fear we didn't improve our own.

Afterwards, with my jug full of beer, I went off to get the dinner ready, and Walter (that's my husband) went round to see the Haggerston Corps of The Salvation Army, where the boy was a Junior.

Perhaps I ought to begin at the beginning, and tell you that my husband's sister, who was a Salvationist, lived in the Clapton district, and that our boy went to Guernsey to stay with her. Of course, we were not saved, and none of us were the slightest bit religious, but we knew The Army; that was different. In our minds, from the churches. It was part of our life. You see, when we were getting used to follow The Army Band for fun, and I might as well own up and say I met my husband for the first time in the Clapton Congress Hall, so you will understand that, though we were not converted, or anything like it, we knew a good bit about The Army.

Two years later we went to St. Peter Port for a holiday, and brought our boy away. At St. Peter Port my husband's sister had taken Johnnie to the Meetings, and he liked The Army. When we were returning, just before the boat left, my husband's sister said to me, 'I want you to make me a promise.'

'What's that?' I said.
'Promise that you'll not send Johnnie to the public-house.'

'All right, I promise,' I said.
Encouraged by this, she asked me to promise to send him to the Juniors. Again I gave my word, and that is how it came about that, though we were unconverted, we sent Johnnie to the Haggerston Corps.

Why He Went

My husband wanted to tell the boy about the birthday present, and to give him a few pence; that was why he made his way to The Army Hall that particular Sunday afternoon. When I got home I waited patiently for his return, but after hours passed, and he did not turn up, and the dinner was spoilt. Oh, I was angry, yet I had every reason to rejoice, could I have known and understood.

A Salvationist was at the door when my husband reached the Hall, and he at once began to explain to him why he had come, and he was invited inside, with the result that, before tea-time, he was converted.

It was quite dark when he came home, accompanied by The Corps Colour Sergeant. My husband was very drunk when he went into the Army Hall, he was quite sober when he came out. That was one thing I couldn't understand. I heard some one say, 'God bless you, my brother,' before departing, that my husband came in, and all my pent-up feelings were let loose. He took it all very quietly, and we went into the other room, and he said, 'Well, my girl, I am converted.' 'I'm going to turn over a new leaf—I'm going to the Open-Air to-night.'

I—well, I did—I told him to go to a much warmer place.
Of course, I had taken all he had to say with a grain of salt, but for I thought it was just one of his tricks, and no woman likes to have a dinner spoiled.

Want to the Hall
Determined not to be done, I made it my business to go to The Salvation Army that night. The Hall was full, and I looked around and could not see my husband, and the more I looked, the more angry I became. I was sure I had been deceived. When I was quite certain on the point, the Sergeant-Major said, 'Friends, you will be glad to know we had a man converted this afternoon, and he is with us in the front to-night.'

Up I jumped and walked straight down the aisle, and there on the front row sat my husband.
I daren't some of those thought I had come out to the penitential-form, but they tried to get me to kneel down and get saved, but I told them I had just come forward to see if my husband had really got converted, and having found out it was quite true, I told them I was going home to get his supper ready.

That night he was splendid, so quiet, and so good, but I am afraid I gave him rather a bad time of it. Time passed and he got into full uniform, and sometimes we went out of the house together, he in his uniform, I with a jug in my hand on my way to the public-house.

Sometimes when he was tried and tired out it must have been a temptation to him to see the beer on the table; but he never gave way, and he was so true-hearted and forgiving that it never made me to think of this period of our life.

Six months after my husband's conversion I got saved. The trouble with me was I felt I couldn't give up my beer and a lot that it stood for. And I wouldn't be a half-hearted Christian. With me, as with my husband, it was to be one thing or the other.

Earnestly Pleaded with
One night I went with my husband to the Shoreditch Olympic, where Commissioner Hay, who is now in charge of the 'British Territory' was conducting some big meetings. I pleaded with, but I rebelled, though I knew I ought to have left my husband's side and gone to the mercy-seat. You see, I was thirsting for a drink, and I had the thought, 'I will not be from the Devil I suppose. It was like a voice speaking: 'You want just one drink now, and you must have it, but if you go out there to the front you will never be able to drink again, as long as you live.' So I was very miserable.

Now I must tell you how I was saved. It was through a dream. 'The strange, thing about it is I can't tell you exactly what kind of a dream it was. I've tried again and again to recall it. It was something beautiful and wonderful beyond all words, but I can't bring it back. All I remember is that it helped to break my heart. Some way or another I have always felt that it had something to do with that Sunday night Meeting my husband's brave life, and the prayers of good people and other holy influences. It was, I suppose, the way the Holy Spirit chose to lead me to God.'

After the dream I awoke and found myself in tears. Immediately I got out of my bed and began to pray very earnestly. I cried, weeping while I did so, 'O Lord, I wish I could be saved. Do save me. Lord, help me to be good and keep me from the drink.'

Promised to Serve God
I promised God that if He would keep me from the drink just for that day, that I would always serve Him. You see Monday was my drinking day. It was the day when I met my drinking friends, and I dreamed to face it. Strange as it is, I did not meet a single one of them, and I felt that God had saved me, and from that moment I commenced to serve Him with my dear husband and our two boys, who have now grown up. Both of them play instruments in the Haggerston Corps Band.

It was wonderful how God saved me. It would be wrong for me to say I was right down to the very bottom of the social scale. I worked hard and kept my home in order, and had plenty of pocket-money, but I was fond of drinking, and so was my husband, until that birthday when he took his last drink in that public-house.

Among his horses, and when driving, my husband, who gloried in telling the story of his conversion, felt

he had not such a big opportunity of speaking to the people as he would have if he became a Salvation Army Assurance Agent. So he gave up his old occupation and took to that of an 'Army Agent, and everywhere he went he was made a blessing to the people, and God used him to the Salvation of souls. And I've caught his spirit, and love to stand in the Open-Air and tell the story of Jesus to those who know me and any who may be passing. I never miss an Open-Air if I can help it. On Saturday night I do my singing for Sunday in order to be free to tell the people of how wonderfully God has blessed us and saved us.

Now I must go on alone. My dear husband was promoted to Glory on March 26th of this year. He was called to the colours, and died of sleeping sickness from the troops, passing triumphantly to his reward from Gravesend Military Hospital, where his Salvationist sister was with him to the last, and here, I too, was able to be with him, and sing to him his favorite song:—
Blessed Lord, in This is refuge,
Safety for my trembling soul,
Power to lift my head when drooping
'Midst the angry billows' roll.
I will trust Thee.
All my life Thou shalt control.

Leaving Tribute
Commissioner Mitchell, who was very much interested in the story of my husband's conversion, laid his hands on me, and my comrades paid loving tribute to his services for the people and his Salvationism.

I am trying to follow worthily in his steps. I have taken up the Agency and everywhere I go is fragrant with blessing, and the people tell me how my husband's brave life and his cheerfulness in the time of sorrow, and ever strove to point them to the Saviour, and I am trying by His grace to be true to God, and long for the day when I shall be reunited with my husband and when my boys shall join us in the Heavenly Land.

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106	37.50	26.75	11.25	9.00	46.75
4	38.75	27.50	11.25	9.00	46.75
5 Grey	41.00	29.50	12.00	9.50	51.50
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Serge 154	32.25	Serge 4	39.00
Serge 153	32.25	Serge 1	39.00
Serge 1	32.25	Serge 5	41.50
Serge 4	32.25	Serge 6	42.00
Serge 564	32.25	Serge 8	43.50
Serge 5	32.25	Beaver No. 1	49.00
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Serge 154	24.00	Serge 153	44.00
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Serge 564	26.00	Serge 106	46.75
Serge 106	26.00	Serge 4	50.00
Serge 107	32.00	Serge 155	50.00
Serge 4	32.00	Serge 1	50.00
Serge 155	32.00	Serge 5	51.75
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Serge 153	38.25	32.50	27.50
Serge 107	41.75	35.00	28.25
Serge 106	41.75	35.00	28.25
Serge 564	41.75	35.00	28.25
Serge 4	42.75	35.75	30.75
Serge 5	42.75	35.75	30.75
Serge 6	45.50	36.50	31.00
Serge 7	46.25	37.00	
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A DAY OF SALVATION

On SUNDAY, DECEMBER 11th

IN THE

TORONTO TEMPLE

Meetings at 11 a.m., 3 and 7 p.m.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 12th, in the TEMPLE

2.30 p.m.—OFFICERS' COUNCIL.

8.00 p.m.—OFFICERS' AND LOCAL OFFICERS' COUNCIL.

COMMISSIONER SOWTON will visit

WINDSOR, Friday December 16th. Stone Laying Saturday 2 p.m.

LONDON, Saturday, Sunday and Monday, December 17th, 18th and 19th

STRATFORD, Tuesday, December 20th

And in Company with MRS. SOWTON will conduct meetings at

CHESTER, Sunday, December 25th, 11 a.m.; WEST TORONTO, 3 p.m.;

DOVERCOURT, 7 p.m.

TORONTO TEMPLE, Saturday, Dec. 31st, Watch Night Service 10-30 p.m.

DAY OF PRAYER

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help of a prayer-hearing God. Much praying was done. From five to six Lieut.-Colonel Miller's name was on the schedule, but he could not get back to Toronto in time, so Envoy Burditt took the lead, and a fine hour followed.

Colonel Aday, armed with his concertina, and full of faith, was on the bridge from six to seven, during which period some of the most gracious influences were shed abroad.

At seven o'clock Lieut.-Colonel Bettridge with Mrs. Bettridge, the Training College Staff and Cadets took the platform and led a splendid prayer battle. It lasted three hours, and was marked by the presence of

the Holy Spirit in great power. Washington, with all its importance, was not allowed to hide the need of personal agreement with God, and eight seekers after His peace knelt at the mercy seat.

The day as a whole speaks volumes as to the confident attitude of The Salvation Army in regard to the efficacy of prayer. Had it been possible for the Delegates at Washington to have overheard the petitions put up to Heaven on their behalf, they would surely have been moved at the heart by what was said, nor could any Delegate have taken the slightest exception to one single word used.

The Day of Prayer is ended, but the praying is not over; while the Conference lasts Heaven will be se-

lected on its behalf, and great is the conviction in many minds that the prevailing prayer of The Salvation Army is doing much towards securing world peace.

THE ARMY'S WORK OF MERCY

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cure of the unmarried mother. Previous to the above date these had been cared for in the Rescue Home, where a number of rooms had been fitted up for hospital purposes. As the work increased, and the good services of our Nursing Staff became known, there came a demand for accommodation for private patients, and the need for a separate building was recognized. The present pro-

perty was secured, and after extensive alterations and renovations, was opened as "The Women's Hospital." It is now well known, and has long since been too small to accommodate all seeking admission.

During the past eighteen months the number of private patients cared for was 474; public ward patients 70; total number of births 54. It is safe to say that quite as many are turned away for want of room as are admitted, and that a building providing three times the accommodation would not be too large.

In connection with the Women's Hospital Training School for Maternity Nursing, a number of Officers who graduated in this branch are now doing service in this and other hands to the many.